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Honorable Stanley R. Chesler United States District Judge U.S. Post Office & Courthouse Federal Square Newark, New Jersey 07101

Re: <u>United States v. Anthony Moultrie</u>

Criminal No. 04-845

Dear Judge Chesler:

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It is respectfully requested that Your Honor appoint the Federal Public Defender's Office to represent Mr. Moultrie in his pro se filing for a reduction motion. By copy of this letter and motion I am so advising Mr. Moultrie. His pro se filing was referred to this office by the U.S. Clerk's Office for review. Enclosed please find a supplement to the original pro se motion.

A review by this office of Mr. Moultrie's case seems to indicate that he may qualify for a reduction of sentence under the revised crack cocaine guideline. Matthew Miller of the U.S. Probation Office has supplied pertinent documents to me. The redacted presentence report indicates that the base offense level was found to be 32 and the total offense level to be 29. Under current law, the base offense level would be 30 and the total offense level would be 27. The recommended range in the report was deemed to be 151-188 months.

Thank you for consideration of these requests for the appointment of counsel and the reduction of sentence.

Respectfully,

Chester M. Keller First Assistant Federal Public Defender

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cc: Sandra Moser, Esq.

Assistant United States Attorney

Anthony Moultrie